

BABY'S JACKET AND BOOTEES!

MATERIALS

Three ounces of "Golden Eagle" POLYNIT Super Baby Wool (Shrink-resist) 3-ply in white, and half an ounce of the same wool in pink; a pair each of No. 12 and No. 10 knitting needles; 3 small buttons for the Jacket; $\frac{3}{4}$ yard Baby ribbon for the Bootees; embroidery silk in pink and green.

TENSION AND MEASUREMENTS

Worked at a tension of $7\frac{1}{2}$ sts. to the inch in width on the stocking st. with No. 10 needles, the measurements on the diagram of the jacket on facing page will be attained after light pressing. The Bootees will measure: Top of leg to sole, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches; back of heel to toe, 4 inches.

ABBREVIATIONS To Be Read Before Working

K., knit plain; p., purl; st., stitch; tog., together; inc., increase (by working into the front and back of the st.); dec., decrease (by working 2 sts. tog.); s.s., stocking-stitch (k. on the right side and purl back); m.s., moss-st. (k. 1 and p. 1 alternately and on subsequent rows the sts. are reversed); m., make (by bringing the wool to the front of the needle and over it before a k. st., or by passing the wool over the needle, and round to the front again before a purl st.); single rib is k. 1 and p. 1 alternately.



The jacket is white with pink moss-stitch borders and rosebuds dotted over the yoke.

THE JACKET TO WORK THE BACK

BEGIN at the lower edge by casting on 82 sts. with No. 10 needles and coloured wool. Work 10 rows in m.s., working into the back of the sts. on the first row to give a neat edge.

Change to white wool and work 48 rows in s.s. to the waist.

Change to No. 12 needles and work a dec. row thus:

Dec. row (right side): * K. 5, k. 2 tog.; repeat from * until 5 sts. remain, k. 3, k. 2 tog. (70 sts.) Work 7 rows in single rib.

Change back to No. 10 needles and work 4 rows more in s.s. to bring the work to the armholes.

TO SHAPE THE ARMHOLES.—Dec. 1 st. at both ends of the next row and following alternate row. (66 sts.)

Purl one row more, then begin the two-colour pattern for yoke thus:

1st row (right side and 3rd armhole dec.): K. 2 tog. white, k. 2 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending last repeat with k. 2 white, k. 2 tog. white. (54 sts.) Cut coloured wool. (Be careful to avoid drawing the wools tightly across when working the two-colour rows.)

Work 9 rows in s.s. with white wool beginning with a purl row, decreasing at each end on the 1st k. row to complete the armhole shaping. (62 sts.)

11th row: * K. 6 white, p. 2 colour; repeat from * until 6 sts. remain, k. 6 white.

Work 9 rows in s.s. with white wool, beginning with a purl row.

21st row: K. 2 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending the last repeat

with k. 2 white. Work 6 rows in s.s. with white wool, then cast off straight across.

THE RIGHT FRONT

WITH No. 10 needles and coloured wool cast on 47 sts. Work 10 rows in m.s., then work as follows:

1st row (right side): With coloured wool m.s. 7 for front border, then k. to the end of the row with white wool.

2nd row: With white wool purl until 7 sts. remain, then with coloured wool m.s. 7.

Repeat the last 2 rows 23 times more to the waist (making 48 rows altogether).

Change to No. 12 needles and work a dec. row thus: Dec. row (right side): M.s. 7 in colour, then with white wool * k. 5, k. 2 tog.; repeat from * until 5 sts. remain, k. 5. (42 sts.)

Work 7 rows in single rib in white, with m.s. 7 for front border in coloured wool.

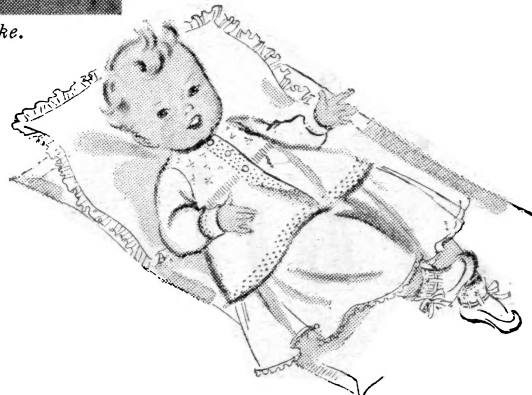
Change back to No. 10 needles and work the 2 s.s. rows as at beginning twice more to bring the work to the armhole.

TO SHAPE THE ARMHOLE.—Still working in s.s. with m.s. 7 border in contrasting colour dec. 1 st. at the end (armhole end) of the next row and following alternate row (40 sts.).

Work one row more, then begin the pattern for the yoke thus:

1st row (right side): M.s. 7 in colour, then k. 4 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending the last repeat with k. 1 white, k. 2 tog. white. (39 sts.)

Work 9 rows in s.s. (with m.s. 7 border in colour), decreasing at armhole end on the 2nd of these rows. (38 sts.)



11th row: M.s. 7 in colour, then * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending last repeat with k. 5 white.

Work 9 rows in s.s. (with m.s. border).

21st row: M.s. 7 in colour, k. 4 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending the last repeat with k. 1 white.

Purl one row (with m.s. border).

****TO SHAPE THE NECK.**—Cast off 19 sts. at the beginning of the next row, then continue entirely in s.s. with white wool only and dec. 1 st. at the neck edge on the following 3 rows (16 sts.). Work 1 row more. Cast off straight across.

THE LEFT FRONT

WITH No. 10 needles and coloured wool cast on 47 sts. Work 10 rows in m.s., then work as follows:

1st row (right side): With white wool k. until 7 sts. remain, m.s. 7 in colour for front border.

2nd row: M.s. 7 in colour, then purl to end with white wool.

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Repeat the last 2 rows 23 times more to the waist line.

Change to No. 12 needles.

Dec. row : * With white wool, k. 5, k. 2 tog.; repeat from * until 12 sts. remain, k. 5 white, m.s. 7 in colour. (42 sts.)

Work 7 rows in single rib with m.s. border in colour.

Change back to No. 10 needles and work 4 rows in s.s. with m.s. border as at beginning.

To SHAPE THE ARMHOLE.—Dec. 1 st. at the beginning (armhole end) of the next row and following alternate row. (40 sts.)

Work one row more, then begin the yoke pattern thus :

1st row (right side) : K. 2 tog., k. 1 white, then * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending the last repeat with k. 4 white, then m.s. 7 in colour. (39 sts.)

Work 9 rows in s.s. (beginning with a purl row) with m.s. border, decreasing at the armhole end on the 1st k. row. (38 sts.)

11th row : K. 5 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from * until 9 sts. remain, then with coloured wool p. 2, m.s. 7.

Work 9 rows in s.s. with m.s. border.

21st row : K. 1 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending the last repeat with k. 4 white, then m.s. 7 colour.

Work 2 rows in s.s. with m.s. border to the neck-line, then repeat from ** on the Right Front to the end.

THE SLEEVES

BEGIN at the wrist edge by casting on 35 sts. with coloured wool and No. 10 needles. Work 3 rows in m.s., then work 9 rows in s.s. with white wool, finishing with a p. row (this completes the turn-back cuff).

Change to No. 12 needles and work 6 rows in single rib.

Change back to No. 10 needles and work 8 rows in s.s., beginning with a k. row, then inc. 1 st. at both ends of the next row and every following 6th row until the 7th inc. row has been worked. (49 sts.)

Work 13 rows straight.

To SHAPE THE SLEEVE TOP.—Dec. 1 st. at both ends of the next row and following 3 alternate rows (41 sts.), then cast off.

Work a second sleeve in the same way.

THE NECKBAND

FIRST join the shoulder seams, beginning at the armhole end and taking one st. from each side at a time. Holding the work with right side facing and using No. 12 needles, pick up 21 sts. from the neck edge of right front, 27 sts. across back neck edge, and 21 sts. from left front neck edge, beginning and ending at front edges. (69 sts.)

Using coloured wool, work 3 rows in m.s., then cast off loosely.

TO MAKE UP THE JACKET

PRESS all parts with a hot iron over a damp cloth on the wrong side. Set the sleeves into the armholes and press these seams while the work is still open. Join the sleeve and side seams in one line. Make 3 buttonholes on the Right Front thus : On the 62nd row from lower edge push a thick knitting needle (or lead pencil) through the 4th st. from front edge, and draw it through to the wrong side; this will sufficiently open the st. Now with needle and wool overcast the edge of this hole closely as in Broderie Anglaise. Work 2 buttonholes more in this way, at intervals of 18 rows, the 3rd one coming in



To keep her tiny feet warm she needs these cosy booties.

the neck-band. Sew 3 buttons to Left Front to correspond. Embroider each Front and the Back yokes as shown in the illustration thus : Above each little ridge of 2 coloured sts. work 3 satin sts. close together with pink silk, and below each ridge work one sloping st. in green, and another single st. at the right side in green.

THE BOOTEES

BEGIN at the ankle by casting on 37 sts. with No. 12 needles and white wool.

Work 3 rows in single rib. (The leg part is knitted on afterwards.)

Slot row : K. 1, * m. 1, k. 2 tog., p. 1, m. 1, p. 2 tog., k. 1; repeat from * to the end.

Work 3 more rows in single rib.

Now divide the sts. for the instep thus :

Next row : K. 12 and leave these sts. on a safety pin, then k. 13 for the instep; turn, leaving 12 sts. unworked.

Work 23 rows in s.s. (beginning with a purl row) as now set on the 13 instep sts.

Next row : K. 13 instep sts., pick up and k. 11 sts. from the row ends at the left side of instep, k. the 12 sts. left unworked.

Next row : P. 36, pick up and p. 11 sts. from row ends of the other side of instep, then p. the 12 sts. from safety pin. (59 sts.)

Now with coloured wool knit one row, then one row in single rib.

Continue entirely with white wool and work 6 rows in s.s., then shape the heel and toe as follows :



The rosebud embroidery.

1st dec. row : K. 1, k. 2 tog., k. 19, k. 2 tog., k. 11, k. 2 tog., k. 19, k. 2 tog., k. 1.

Purl one row.

2nd dec. row : K. 1, k. 2 tog., k. 17, k. 2 tog., k. 11, k. 2 tog., k. 17, k. 2 tog., k. 1.

Purl one row.

3rd dec. row : K. 1, k. 2 tog., k. 15, k. 2 tog., k. 11, k. 2 tog., k. 15, k. 2 tog., k. 1.

Cast off.

Now, with white wool and No. 10 needles and holding the right side facing, pick up and k. 37 sts. along the cast-on edge at the ankle.

Work 11 rows in s.s., beginning with a purl row.

Next row : K. 2 white, * p. 2 colour, k. 6 white; repeat from *, ending the last repeat with k. 1 white instead of k. 6 white.

Work 4 rows in s.s., beginning with a purl row.

With coloured wool work 3 rows in m.s., then cast off loosely.

Work a second Bootie in the same way.

TO MAKE UP THE BOOTEES

FIRST press as described for the Jacket. Join the leg and underfoot seams. Embroider on the colour ridges as described for the Jacket. Thread ribbon through slots at ankles.



The measurements of the Matinee Jacket.